AFTER FINAL - EXPEDITED PROCEDURE



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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box AF Washington, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

RE: Applicant(s): Gary M. Moore

Assignee: Moore Epitaxial Inc.

Title: METHOD OF CONTROLLING GAS FLOW TO A

SEMICONDUCTOR PROCESSING REACTOR

Serial No.: 09/765,919 Filed: January 18, 2001

Examiner: Chen, Bret P. Group Art Unit: 1762

Docket No.: MTEC101001

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents for the response to the Final Office Action dated January 3, 2003 in the above application:

- 1. Return Receipt Postcard;
- 2. Transmittal Letter (2 pages);
- 4. Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 (7 pages) with:
 - a. A separate paper entitled "Clean Copy of Replacement Claims" (6 pages); and
 - b. A separate paper entitled "Version with Markings to Show Changes Made" (2 pages).

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 \times No additional claims fees are required.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining after Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee	
Total Claims	20	- 20	= 0	x \$18.00	\$	0.00
Independent Claims	7	- 7	= 0	x \$84.00	\$	0.00
First filing of Multiple Dependent Claim (Enter \$270)						0.00
			Total of abo	ve Calculation		\$0.00
Reduct i	on by 50% for filing	by Small Entity (Enter 0.5 for	small entity)		1.0
		-		Subtotal	\$	0.00
Submission of Information Disclosure Statement Fee (enter \$180)						0.00
				TOTAL	\$	0.00

Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed documents after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, Applicant(s) hereby petition for such an extension of time.

 \boxtimes The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required for consideration of the enclosed documents, and to credit any overpayment of fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0553.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 2021, on/March; 3, 2003.

Attorney for Applicant(s)

March 3, 2003 Date of Signature Respectfully submitted,

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Req. No. 40,017



AMER FINAL - EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 3, 2003, enclosed herewith are:

- A separate paper entitled "Clean Copy of Replacement Claims" with a clean version of the claims (6 pages); and
- 2. A separate paper entitled "Version with Markings to Show Changes Made" with markings to show amendments to the claims (2 pages).

The above papers are incorporated herein by reference in their entireties as a part of this paper.

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